

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Sigeru TANAKA, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/806,992

GAU: 1772

FILED: April 6, 2001

EXAMINER: Watkins

TRAY FOR CONVEYING MAGNETIC HEAD FOR MAGNETIC DISK

TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

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REQUEST UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.312

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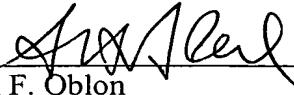
Applicants have discovered that the Terminal Disclaimer filed on December 17, 2003 was defective in that it failed to list all of the assignees. This was an inadvertent error, made without any deceptive intent.

Applicants' undersigned representative wishes to bring the error to the Examiner's attention and herewith submits a Corrected Terminal Disclaimer, accurately reflecting ownership of the subject application.

Substitution of the Corrected Terminal Disclaimer for the one presently in the case thus is solicited.

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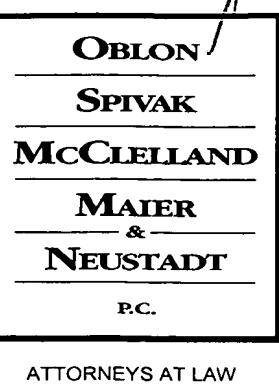
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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Petition; Request Under 37 C.F.R. §1.312; Corrected Terminal Disclaimer

Our check in the amount of **\$240.00** is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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